



## Dragon's Dish

Updates from the Forest

September 22, 2024

Monday September 23	Tuesday September 24	Wednesday September 25	Thursday September 26	Friday September 27
Picture Day!  Coding Club (Gr 5-6) @ Lunch recess	Picture Day (Kinder!)  Volleyball (Gr 5-6) @ lunch recess in the gym	Wear Green for Forest Green Spirit Day  Choir (Gr 3-6) @ Lunch recess  Terry Fox Run Assembly at 11 am and 11:15 am (ish)	Handbells (Gr 5&6) @ Lunch recess  Cross-Country Run @ Grouse Nest Golf Course  STEPS PD day, No School (only for STEPS class)	Orange Shirt Day  Mindful walk @ 11:30 am.  Basketball (Gr 3-4) @ Lunch recess  Dance Showcase @ 1:30 pm  STEPS PD day, No School (only for STEPS class)

Dear Forest Green Families,

### Orange Shirt Day

On September 27, Forest Green School will observe Orange Shirt Day, a day dedicated to reflecting on the impacts of residential schools and honoring the contributions of First Nations, Métis, and Inuit peoples to Canada. We encourage all students to wear orange as a symbol of solidarity. In the morning, students will learn about and create their own land acknowledgements, followed by a mindful walk at approximately 11:30 a.m. to think about reconciliation. In the afternoon, starting at 1:30 p.m., many of our First Nations students will proudly showcase traditional dances. Parents are warmly invited to join us for both the walk and the dancing as we come together in support of reconciliation.

### Help Support Ronald McDonald House!

Forest Green School is collecting aluminum can tabs to support Ronald McDonald House Charities. These tabs are recycled to help provide a home away from home for families with sick children. If you'd like to contribute, please send your tabs to school in a small baggie with your child. Every little bit helps!

### Youth and Community Engagement Officer

We are excited to share that our community now has a dedicated Youth and Community Engagement Officer, Constable Hinman. He will be visiting Forest Green School and other schools regularly to build relationships with youth and present educational sessions on a variety of important topics. This initiative reflects our shared commitment to fostering meaningful connections and understanding, and we look forward to the positive impact Constable Hinman will have in our school community.



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## Oil Kings

We are thrilled to announce that Forest Green School has been selected for the Edmonton Oil Kings Adopt-A-School program for the 2024-25 season! [Plains Constructor](#) has generously adopted our school, and thanks to their support, we will receive 8 season tickets to all 34 Oil Kings home games. For each game, two students will be selected to receive 4 tickets, allowing them to take their family to a game. Students will have the opportunity to be entered into two draws: one for maintaining a strong attendance rate and another for demonstrating the monthly Sacred Teaching we are focusing on, which include love, humility, courage, honesty, respect, wisdom, and truth. Students can qualify for both draws, increasing their chances to win. We are excited to celebrate our students through this incredible opportunity, thank you Plains Constructor!

## Parent Handbook

Please click [here](#) to view our Parent Handbook for the 2024/2025 School Year.

We encourage you to follow us on social media as we celebrate our amazing school community. You can find us on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#).

We are looking forward to caring, sharing and learning together! As always, please do not hesitate to contact us at the school with any questions or concerns that you may have at either 780-963-7366 or [forestgreen@psd.ca](mailto:forestgreen@psd.ca).

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